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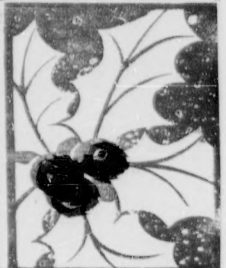
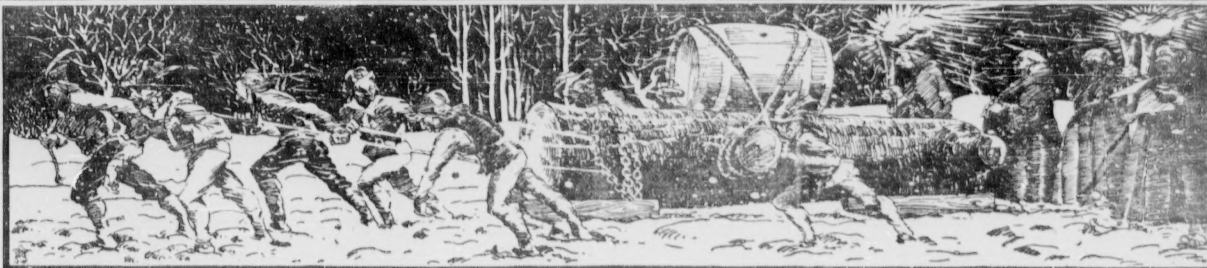
MOST WIDELY READ HOME PAPER OF THE PEACE RIVER COUNTRY



Merry Christmas



MAY again the angels' song to the shepherds watching their flocks by night -- "Peace on earth, goodwill to men" -- once more gladden the homes of the world and bring happiness and contentment to every land. Let the story of man's selfishness, his inhumanity to man, be written only in the shifting sands of the desert. For those who seek, the message of Christmas is carved deeply into the granite of the eternal hills of time, a testimony of God's grace and love for all mankind.



CAPITOL

Featured at Christmastime
MONDAY - TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY
December 23, 24, and 25

A GREAT EVENT!
THEY'RE ALL FLOCKING TO SEE
THIS GORGEOUS
MUSICAL SPECTACLE



A MIRACLE OF BEAUTY
Dickie Sharp is the first full-length
production filmed in the wondrous
beauty of
NEW TECHNICOLOR

Glorious, Scintillating Attractions for Gala Holiday ★ ★ ENTERTAINMENT ★ ★

★ INTIMATE GLIMPSES INTO
★ NEW YEAR'S WEEK Features
MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY—Dec. 30, 31, and Jan. 1
BIG DOUBLE FEATURE PROGRAM
GRACE MOORE in

"One Night of Love"

with Tullio Carminelli, Lila Tarnet, Mona Harris
An exultant triumph of intoxicating romance, infectious laughter
and divine song.

★ Second Feature
★ CLAUDE GABLE and CLAUDETTE COLBERT in
★ "It Happened One Night"

with Walter Connolly, R. Scott Karna
Together for the first time, two great stars in the year's most
glamorous romance.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY—January 2, 3, and 4
JAN KIEPURA in

"My Heart Is Calling"

That dynamic personality who acts like a Hellion... sings like an
Angel... looks like an Adonis... in one of the best musical
pictures ever produced.

Coming Soon...

The private life of his-
tory's most glamorous
adventurers... told
against a background
of raging conflict!



A picture as deep as
the human heart...
as big as the events
through which its
mighty drama
rolls!

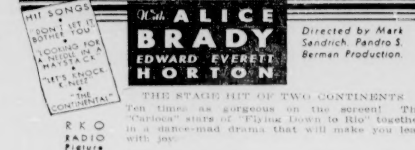
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After Christmas Feature
THURSDAY - FRIDAY - SATURDAY
December 26, 27, and 28

THE KING AND QUEEN OF "CARIOCA"



THE STAGE HIT OF TWO CONTINENTS
Ten times as gorgeous on the screen! The
"Carioca" stars of "Foggy Town to Rio" together
in a dance-mad drama that will make you leap
with joy.



FRANK DONALD

Your Host in the friendly north FRANK DONALD

Invites the visitor to this great Inland Empire and
welcomes residents of the Peace River land to the
superior comforts and service of these modern hosteli-
ries when visiting in their vicinity.

- ★ Grande Prairie Hotel
GRANDE PRAIRIE, ALBERTA
- ★ The Murray Hotel
GRANDE PRAIRIE, ALBERTA
- ★ The Donald Hotel
HYTHE, ALBERTA
- ★ The Donald Hotel
ST. PAUL, ALBERTA
- ★ The Donald Hotel
WARSPITE, ALBERTA
- ★ Grand Union Hotel
ATHABASCA, ALBERTA

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ASSOCIATION
OF
COMMERCIAL
TRAVELLERS

Our Christmas Greetings

THE sincere feeling of good cheer and
health and happiness and all of the
pleasant associations with Christmas is our
wish to every one. A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

The DONALD Family

Christmas 1935 Grande Prairie, Alberta

SKATE FOR PLEASURE, HEALTH and EXERCISE

—at the
Wapiti Rink

Special skating privileges for adults and juveniles may now be obtained at greatly
reduced prices for those securing tickets.
JUVENILES' TICKETS—15 Skating Admissions, \$1.00
ADULTS' TICKETS—14 Skating Admissions, \$2.00
Come and join the happy crowds.

Two Holiday Events

YOU WILL NOT WANT TO MISS
CHRISTMAS EVE NOVELTY DANCE

in the ELKS HALL, Grande Prairie
Next Tuesday, December 24, starting at 10 p.m. sharp

NEW YEAR'S EVE FROLIC

Dance the Old Year out and the New Year in at the ELKS HALL, Tuesday evening,
December 31, starting at 10 p.m. sharp.
TWO JOYOUS NIGHTS OF SPARKLING GAIETY, HOLIDAY CARNIVAL SPIRIT
AND RHYTHMIC MUSIC BY PENSION'S ORCHESTRA THAT YOU
WILL NOT WANT TO MISS

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GRANDE PRAIRIE, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1935

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GRANDE PRAIRIE IN BLAZE OF LIGHT FOR HOLIDAYS

E. H. Keith, Pool Delegate For Peace River, Outlines Progress Alta. Wheat Pool

E. H. Keith, pool delegate for Peace River, who recently returned from Calgary, where he attended the annual meeting of the Alberta Pool, was a visitor in Grande Prairie on Saturday.

In discussing the annual meeting with a Tribune reporter, Mr. Keith had the following to say in regard to the financial progress of the Alberta Wheat Pool:

"During the past four crop seasons our Alberta Pool organization has handled approximately 150,000,000 bushels of all grains through our facilities in operating under open market conditions. Our net operating earnings during this four-year period, totaling approximately \$1,750,000 prior to depreciation being provided for, as well as interest on the province of Alberta in connection with the 1929 Pool over-payment obligation.

"Since July 15, 1931, and up to and including September 1 last, our association has promptly taken care of our annual instalments due on September 1 of each year to the province of Alberta, totaling out of 1929 Pool over-payment, and consisting of \$538,504 principal, and approximately \$1,000,000 interest.

"Further, we have reduced our bank liabilities secured for the purpose of building our Pool-owned terminal at Vancouver from \$1,750,000, as at July 15, 1931, to \$500,000 as at this date.

"In addition, steady improvement has been made in the liquid position of our Pool organization to the extent

His Lordship Mr. Justice Ewing Is Tendered Banquet

On the occasion of the closing of the last sitting of the Board of Review held at Grande Prairie, E. S. McQuaid, one of the commissioners, tendered a banquet to His Lordship Mr. Justice Ewing, who is retiring from the Bench, his place being taken by His Lordship, Mr. Justice C. R. Mitchell of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court. P. J. McLean, K.C., of Sexsmith acted as toastmaster.

Following the sumptuous repast short speeches were made paying tribute to the retiring commissioner.

In replying His Lordship expressed his appreciation of the assistance given him by the Board of Review, and the harmony that had always existed among them.

His Lordship was joined to the local registrar, D. W. Patterson, for the careful manner in which cases were prepared for consideration of the Board.

Members of the local bar, Sheriff D. L. McPherson, and Worshipful Mayor Tooley were the guests.

G. P. High School Students Entertain Ex-Students

The assembly hall of the Grande Prairie High School presented an attractive and gay appearance on Wednesday night when the student body entertained ex-students at a dance.

The hall was artistically and appropriately decorated for the occasion.

Miss Freda Hunt, who rendered a delightful program of dance music on the piano.

The following ex-students were present: Hon. Mr. McQuaid, Gordon Wilson, Jack Hunter, Jack Watson, Marie Lyndell, Gerald Card, Lloyd Cooke, O. Bradley, Larry Cobb, Earl Stauffer, Bert Powell, Joe Hunter, Jack Bowen, Misses J. Little, Tomahak, Dorothy Russ, Mary Patterson, Jean Bell, Irene Johnson, Viola Cooke.

Lunch was served at 11 o'clock.

BEAVER LODGE JUVENILES DEFEAT G. P. BY 4 TO 2 SCORE

In the first game for the cup donated by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, played at Beaver Lodge Saturday afternoon, Beaver Lodge juveniles defeated Grande Prairie by a score of 4 to 2.

Bert Bennett, manager of the Grande Prairie juveniles, wishes to thank the Beaver Lodge people for the fairness displayed and for the lunch following the game.

The visiting team were taken to Beaver Lodge and back by Mr. Bennett and Jack Kerr.

The two other teams in the Juvenile League are Hythe and Sexsmith.

SPECIAL SERVICE AT McLAURIN BAPTIST CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY EVENING

A special Christmas service will be held in McLauren Baptist Church, Grande Prairie, next Sunday evening, December 22, the usual hour. The junior choir will sing, with special songs of special interest. The Challenge of the Cross will be given by six young ladies.

that at date of our last balance sheet, July 15, our current assets showed a surplus over current liabilities of \$4,250,000.00.

"We consider these figures as being satisfactory, especially in view of unsteady conditions, which have prevailed over the past few years, and the fact that margins in the handling of grain are available to the elevator interests over recent years have undoubtedly been narrower than at any previous similar period in the history of elevator operation in western Canada, involving benefits being directly reflected to producers in the way of advantage in grades, dockage and price."

Two G. P. Rinks Royally Treated at Lake Saskatoon

On Wednesday night two Grande Prairie rinks, in invitation, were at Lake Saskatoon and played 12-end games, which they won by a slight margin.

Following the games the visitors were entertained to a delectable lunch served by Mrs. John Smith and Mrs. John Alstad.

"We were royally entertained," was the remark of one of the Grande Prairie visitors on arriving home, and he expressed the sentiment of all the rest.

The following is the personnel of the rinks participating:

Grande Prairie—C. R. McKay, Gordon Orr, Jack Crummy, and Herb Spurge.

Lake Saskatoon—John Alstad, Fred Bradley, Norton and Grand.

Grande Prairie—N. Swallow, Hector Morrison, Mervyn Lewis, John Redmond.

Lake Saskatoon—John Smith, Howard Jurney, Buster Monahan, and Walter Roberts.

G. P. to Meet Sexsmith Friday; Dance Follows

Preceding the novelty holiday dance sponsored by the Senior Hockey Club of Grande Prairie in the Elks Hall this Friday night, December 20, Grande Prairie hockeyists of the senior group will stage their annual encounter with the Sexsmith boys, this time at the Varsity rink, facing off at 8 o'clock.

The match between these two teams last Monday night was evenly and hard fought. Sexsmith's win by a very fine edge has given the Grande Prairie pucksters with a grin determination to master their opponents when they meet on home ice this Friday.

Music for the novelty dance after the game will be supplied by Benson's orchestra, and the management and players representing the Grande Prairie hockey club.

TEAM OWNED BY EAST ENDER TAKE FRIGHT AND RUN AWAY

When a team owned and driven by "Bob" Thompson of the East end took to the rink on Friday night, the team was frightened of a car, bolted upon the sleigh and ran away. Mr. Thompson, apart from being severely shaken up, sustained no injuries.

The only damage done was to the harness.

OTTAWA, Dec. 17.—The opening of the session of the new Parliament, possibly January 22, but not before that date was indicated Tuesday in government circles.

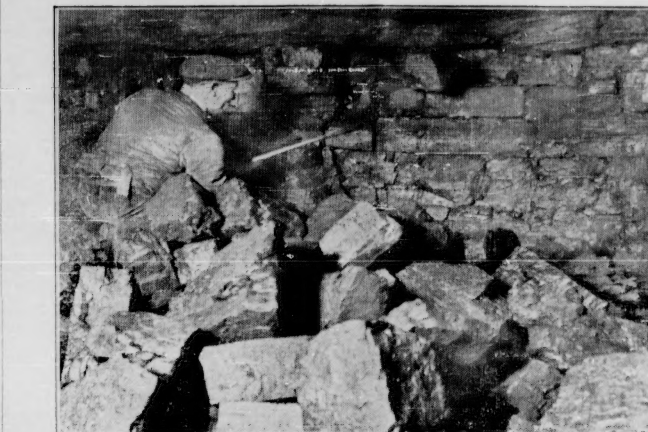
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Additional Christmas cheer for the younger lot's Christmas was received from the Girl Hardware, who donated a considerable number of new toys to be included with the hampers.

The committee are meeting this Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, to further decide on distribution of the hampers and parcels. Should anyone be asked to put in their donation as early as possible, so that distribution will be carried out as efficiently as possible. Articles of clothing may be sent to the Salvation Army.

The Central Relief Committee with



SIXTEEN DIE IN ALBERTA COAL MINE DISASTER

The first major disaster in the 50-years history of the Lethbridge coal fields occurred at Coalhurst, Alberta, on Sunday, December 15, 1935, when 16 miners were killed and 16 injured. The disaster occurred in the underground workings of a coal mine just outside Lethbridge, and served a good idea of the type of coal mined in that area, and the conditions under which the coal is secured in workings 600 feet below the surface.

Hockey Fans To See Vets and Town Team Do Battle

Featuring the Boxing Day holiday attractions will be the hockey battle between the veterans of Grande Prairie and the local senior hockey team. Although a number of on the veterans line-up have devoted little time to skating or maintaining or adding to their hockey reputation of younger days, it is learned that they intend to give Grande Prairie's senior hockey machine a tough grind if they intend to keep their laurels.

Oldtimers—Bill Davidson, goalie; Francis Donald, J. E. Shields, Charlie Kier, Charlie Graham, Jack Crummy, Walter Roberts, Bill Davidson, who will take turns on the forward line.

Grande Prairie—George Donaldson, Frank Edmundson, Holly Pender, Herb Rogers, Charlie Turner, Roy Wright, Rusty Black, Dennis Law, Ken Crummy, Ken Wilson, Neil Dalziel, Jack Ward, Allan Bradley.

KID OSBORNE IN THE PINK

Kid Osborne of Fairview was a passenger on Friday's train en route to Dawson Creek to meet Maurice Edinger, the cowboy fighter, in the Jubilee Hall, Hythe, this Friday evening. Osborne was looking in the pink and was carrying more baggage than seen in Grande Prairie. Edinger is a tough boy.

BOXING DAY MADE STATUTORY HOLIDAY

EDMONTON, Dec. 20.—Boxing Day, December 26, was declared a statutory holiday in Alberta under a provincial order-in-council passed today. By this order, said Premier Aberhart, all businesses and activities which are closed on usual holidays, will be closed on this new holiday.

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Mayor P. J. Tooley Sounds Optimistic Note in Greetings

THE CHRISTMAS season is once again with us, and as the special Christmas Number of The Northern Tribune is published, it is a pleasure to have the opportunity of conveying to all citizens my best wishes for Christmas and the coming year. The Town of Grande Prairie has made steady progress in the past few years, and it is gratifying to find that the position has been maintained, our population has increased, industries have been established, improvements have been carried out. No epidemics have occurred, and the health of the community has been satisfactory. The moderate winter weather which we are having is a relief and benefit to all. In spite of some adversity and disappointments as to crop conditions, we have much to be thankful for and with all in mind, and the hard times and experience of the past five years which we have survived, I should be more than ever optimistic as to the future.

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The following executive was elected: President, Hon. William Aberhart; president, H. O. Vennart, Aberhart; honorary vice-president, R. A. Peddie; vice-president, L. R. Plon; treasurer, C. N. Niden, High Prairie.

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Crooked Creek Man Narrowly Escapes Death

Fred Griffiths of Crooked Creek, after a hard day's work, was narrowly escaped from being killed in Beaver Lodge on Friday night last.

The car in which he was riding and which was being driven by his stepson, Glen Griffiths, ran into a long pole which stuck out of the side of the building. The pole pierced the windshield and struck Griffiths on the chest. Griffiths was thrown from the car and was lying on the ground. He was taken to the hospital, but he died shortly after he was brought there.

The injured man was taken to the hospital, but he died shortly after he was brought there.

The funeral will be held at the home of the deceased, Mr. Griffiths, on Saturday, December 21, at 10 o'clock.

G. P. Masons to Hold Banquet on December 27th

The Grande Prairie Masonic Lodge, No. 100, will hold their annual banquet and ball on the evening of Friday, December 27.

The banquet, which will be held in the Grande Prairie Hotel, will commence at 7 o'clock and the ball, in the Elks Hall, will begin at 9:30 o'clock.

The occasion is strictly confined to members and their families.

CAROL SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY AT CHRIST CHURCH

At 7:30 on Sunday evening a carol service will be held in Christ Church, Grande Prairie. As in previous years, the ancient form of service will be used. The seven short lessons of Christmas will be read by representatives of the congregation, the first by one of the choir boys, the last by the organist. The service will be in English language by St. John's the Evangelist.

All the well-known traditional carols will be sung by the congregation together with both the junior and the senior choirs.

The pastor and warden cordially invite you to attend this service.

ABLE TO LEAVE HOSPITAL Baptist Christmas Tree

Baptist Christmas tree and concert of McLauren Baptist Church of Grande Prairie will be held on Monday evening, December 23, at 7:30 o'clock.

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SACRED CANTATA TO BE GIVEN AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUNDAY EVENING

There will be a sacred cantata in English Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening, December 22, at 7:30 o'clock, put on by the choir and Sunday school.

THE NORTHERN TRIBUNE AN INDEPENDENT WEEKLY NEWSPAPER

Published every Thursday at Grande Prairie, Alberta. The Tribune's aim is to be thoroughly "new" in its news field with fairness to all sections and parties; also to aid in the development of the Peace River Country and help make known this "Northern Empire" many advantages as a home-land. All news is printed without intentional distortion. The paper's opinions are expressed only in its editorial columns.

Letters for publication are welcomed. A pen name may be used, though correspondence must also sign their proper names, not necessarily for publication, but as evidence of good faith in publishing a communication. The Tribune does not imply agreement with any opinions contained therein.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1933

CHRISTMAS, PEACE AND GOODWILL

On December 25 all Christians will celebrate the birth of Christ, the "Prince of Peace." Who gave his life for the masses of the people and for the cause of peace among individuals and the races of the world.

Over nineteen centuries have passed and yet the philosophy of the Prince of Peace has not been enthroned in the hearts of men. However, notwithstanding present discouraging conditions, the time will come when the principles of peace taught by the Master will prevail.

We of the Peace River can best help in the establishment of world peace by seeing to it that the principle of peace is truly enthroned within the boundaries of this inland empire.

May the true spirit of Christmas not only prevail throughout the holiday season but continue throughout the coming year. If this can be accomplished, there will be seen ushered in a better and kinder civilization, to which the masses of the people have been longingly looking forward for many centuries.

This is the hope indulged by The Northern Tribune.

THE HIGH SCHOOL HIGH LIGHTS

Editors and sub-editors to the High School High Lights have eliminated their fall term efforts with the production this week of their school paper in magazine form as a Christmas number.

The Tribune staff had pleasure in cooperating with the students in the making of a magazine which we feel is a credit to the High School, The Tribune, and to the north country.

May the hopes expressed by eleven graduating students in their "Future Outlook" be fully realized, not only by them but by every other graduate of the school.

To the school faculty we wish to express appreciation of their help in the publication of the High School's paper.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE BLOCK NEWS

The Tribune wishes to extend congratulations to the Peace River Block News, published by Dawson Creek, B.C., on its Christmas number.

The effort was most creditable, both from a typographical and news standpoint.

In the special number merchants of the Block showed their appreciation of the enterprise of the News by contributing liberally to the paper's advertising columns.

To the staff and management of the B.C. contemporary The Tribune staff extends the season's greetings.

Along the Trail

By J. B. YULE

The other afternoon I was wondering why alone Grande Prairie's main stem when I ran into a very distinguished group of friends who were in a semi-huddle. In the party were "Timothy King," Bill Cochran, Joe Tiesman, Rev. of the Municipal District of Grande Prairie, Jean Leson (Rev. of Bear Lake), and Jim Tiesman (ex-councilor of the latter municipality).

Anxious to add to my store of knowledge and feeling that I could do so by getting closest to these excellent gentlemen, I made bold to join the group.

Now readers of this column, what do you think these gentlemen who several winters ago cut their eye teeth were discussing so earnestly? You'll never guess so here goes: They were discussing the tricky ways of "Cupid."

The writer, of course, joined in the conversation and after the subject was exhausted we were to use an army phrase—"as you were," meaning clearly, that no definite conclusion was reached. All of us admitted that we had seen some of the strongest men go down before the fatal arrow, and exclaim—"If not in so many words, in actions!" I did not ask to see the distant shore, one step enough for me. So take me as I am.

Well I would rather hear a group of men trying to figure out how Cupid does it than see them standing around predicting that the world is going to blow away.

IN THE TRIBUNE'S MAIL BOX

After reading quite a few articles concerning the registration of trap lines and hearing so many people expressing their opinions who do a limited amount of trapping themselves, a better time could not be more appropriate to have their views made more public.

Would not, if made general throughout the province, create a monopoly and are not the present representatives of provincial government against monopolies and believe in more distribution of purchasing power? At present there are approximately ten who trap in and around a settlement to one who goes back into the wild.

It must be granted that it would conserve the fur species, and for one thing it is a very fine undertaking to have the persons line registered who trap for a living and has no other occupation. At present quite a few farmers own trap lines and around the settlements quite a profitable and enjoyable pastime from the mountainous grind of farm work. They make around \$40, some less, the fortunate site more, and use the money for personal requirements, which have been very hard to supply with this last five or six years owing to the poor prices of all products. It also helps to keep them at home on the farms. There have been quite a few farmers made to go to the city for the seasonal public to know that this little deal keeps the wolf from the door for many. Every big firm in Canada may imagine that the arrangements for some Christmas pay-out to the fur with the returned man, they say it is illegal. Is it illegal to issue a 22-day December cheque and then the balance at end of month? Not at all. It might be some work for the army of clerks and it would cost some twenty dollars additional postage. Thanks, Ottawa.

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would chase the famed Italian army clean out of Ethiopia.

Miss Agnes McPhail voices objection to our mode of voting in elections. Also Mr. Stevens, Reconstruction leader. Social Credit received some 300,000 votes and secured 17 members in the federal house. Mr. Stevens party secured over 600,000 votes, one member. Also the Liberal party held some 75 or more seats over all others, yet did not secure half of the total vote polled. Of course the party know this well and know to a certain extent the people rule.

It was news to many that our Coast Outlets was a national issue. Far from it—it is a local issue, but would benefit the whole West. Both the Liberal and Conservative party have in the past twenty years promised this would be an accomplished fact, but both passed the buck. Our grandchildren will see it, but it behooves this 65,000 people to keep on fighting irrespective of creed, nationality, or politics, and hasten the day of its fulfilment.

Good old Winnipeg brought the rugby championship of Canada to the West for the first time in history. May it long remain.

Our paternal government has again given the returned man a kick in the trousers. After years of effort by the Legion, etc., the December cheques were issued in time for Christmas, enabling hundreds and hundreds of returned men to buy a little something extra for their families. But it is a shame to see that the government has decided to stop this little deal keeps the wolf from the door for many. Every big firm in Canada may imagine that the arrangements for some Christmas pay-out to the fur with the returned man, they say it is illegal. Is it illegal to issue a 22-day December cheque and then the balance at end of month? Not at all. It might be some work for the army of clerks and it would cost some twenty dollars additional postage. Thanks, Ottawa.

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DAD'S NOTIONS

By E. S. Stanley

SUCCESS VIA CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

The milestones of life, it seems, are more frequently as we grow older and are again at the same period of special cheer.

Christmas is a holiday of special purpose, is of the highest value, yet we may procure it without money. The poorest man can afford to observe it. It is not with all his wealth, may be without it.

Material things, if you give cheer you have it; if you withhold it you find yourself without it. But how cheerfully we cheer when we do not feel cheerful? By kindness—by kind thoughts, kind words and kind actions. Kindness cheer others and bring joy to ourselves. Our feelings are very sensitively affected by our acts and gestures.

By the expression of goodwill and kindness to others, we are able to give cheer to the recipients but happiness much more to the giver.

Did not the Master in later years say that there was more happiness in giving than in receiving?

Although the giver is blessed with the greater joy, it is not alone by happiness that a person is beautiful, but by better health and a greater success in life.

As the doctor and he will say that happiness contributes very materially to physical well-being for any one.

And consider for yourself, who do you like the most? If it isn't the one who radiates cheer and kindness? We can't help feeling kindly toward him; we are anxious to show him favor, and we rejoice to see him prosper. Cheer and happiness always leads success.

And the pity of it—that we neglected creatures do not make it a year-round duty habit to show this spirit of goodwill and cheer when we are so easily—this spirit shown by the Creator in the event that Christmas comes, and in the life and teachings of the Master.

We are prone to live impoverished when we fail to give; they may be rich and full.

PIPESTONE CREEK

One bright and early morning A party left for town. But before they reached the village The stars came hovering round. A knock came to the door. They excitedly went to open. A shout and then a roar. Frightened terrible with fear. A baby being born.

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The Christmas Spirit

By H. Reginald Hardy

It's coming nigh to Christmas And it's time to show a smile, So gather up your grinsches And forget them awhile; So sweep your heart of memories That are bitter and untrue. To recollect the days gone by, The friends that once you knew.

The years are slipping by you— And it's time to stop and think; If your dreams have seen fulfilment Have been broken link by link; Then greet the ones remaining With a message from the heart, For it's coming nigh to Christmas And you ought to do your part.

If this life has brought you largeness And the ones you love are loyal, If your dreams have seen fulfilment And success has crowned your toil, Then remember there are others Who have somehow missed the road, Pass the word to cheer them onward, Lend a hand to ease their load!

If the world has used you poorly Make your own seem vain and small; And you feel that there is surely Nothing left for you to do, Yet recall that there is beauty In this world that God has made— Get your teeth, faith your duty, Battle on, be not afraid!

For there's always those whose troubles Make your own seem vain and small; Hold your head a little higher, You shall take the road new.

For it's coming nigh to Christmas And you ought to do your part, And you're working hard to do!

Two Rivers Dist.

TWO RIVERS, Dec. 17.—We have had two big hunts in this district since the first of the year. The first one with fatal results. Harrie's were hunting two in the Stacey place when they shot and killed both. The boys went to the back to try and keep them in, when the team ran away. They ran to Art Leroy's. The pigs got away. Art stopped the team, and the pig hunt was on and, believe it or not, they had to shoot both sides in the end.

The second was mere of a game. With the pig out of sight in the bush, with a trailing party of six—there were even a couple from Wenlock—in the chase, if a rabbit had jumped the pig in the brush it would have been good-by pig. It was caught round the buildings.

Seen and Heard

We hear Walter is still on the trap line. Ted and George, Ted driving a team and George leading a cow. Leo Longson driving west in a cutter.

Miss Chelakul walking home from school. Ted bringing home the coyote's. Russ Walker staking out sheaves.

MILLARSTON SCHOOL REPORT

The following are the average marks obtained by the pupils of Millarston school in the Christmas examinations.

Helen Bain Grade VIII 80
Joan Murray Grade VIII 85 1/2
Duncan Bain Grade VIII 85 1/2
Joan Whyte Grade VIII 40

May Calhoun Grade V 80
George Bain Grade V 80
Vivian Murray Grade V 87

Joan Calhoun Grade IV 85
Mary Brumpton Grade IV 78

George Calhoun Grade III 92
Max Sutherland Grade III 80
John Sutherland Grade III 80
Joyce Murray Grade III 80

Bob Mitchell Grade III 85 1/2
Ethel Johnson Grade III 84
Hilda Hooker Grade III 77
Ethel Johnson Grade III 75
Billie Mitchell Grade III 75

Joan Van Hemert Grade IV 74
Wendy Whyte Grade IV 74
Agnes Whyte Grade IV 51
Joan Erskine, Teacher.

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Timely Hints From the Beaverlodge Sub-Station

By W. D. Albright

"IT IS A PLEASURE AS WELL AS A DUTY TO SERVE"

A Merry Christmas for the live stock as well as the human!

Before shearing cattle, F. T. Brewer of Glenora, has a binder twice as tightly as possible around the base of the horn giving it two or three wraps and drawing as tightly as possible at each wrap. He says it does a great deal to check bleeding.

During the year ending March 31, 1935, 17,781 cattle carcasses were condemned by government inspectors in the 75 Canadian meat packing establishments operating under the regulations of the Meat and Canned Foods Act. This was 131 per cent of the slaughterings. Principal causes of condemnation are emaciation, immaturity and tuberculosis.

"More than 40 per cent of the soil wealth is contained in the top six inches of soil," says the official organ of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service. "Erosion must be controlled before soil fertility can be increased," it declares. "Erosion has caused streams to dry up, resulting in the disappearance of fish, animal and bird life, starting from cultivation and planting them either to grass or timber is an effective means of securing best land utilization."

Grassland weather has been encountered by two or three stock trains this autumn. Think of animals being dumped into open corrals on a day when the temperature has suddenly fallen forty or fifty degrees, shivering all night in the wind, quarrelling with strange companions, then hustled into box cars, stunted and humped, suffering loss, discomfort, hunger and thirst for hundreds of dreary miles. Are we justified in inflicting all that misery for our profit and gustatory satisfaction? How would we like to be in the animals' places? Can we not do much more to improve shipping conditions?

After studying the protein map for 1935, and considering the yellow shading across most of northern Alberta, indicating an average protein content under eleven per cent, one wonders whether certain areas might be better adapted to the production of seed oats and milting barley. Of course, our northern rating is not always so poor, for certain areas in certain seasons show what with a high protein content, but our general performance leaves much to be desired. We still need a high quality, hardy, early wheat.

French Fried Potatoes with

Caribou Steak

An off-season for growing wet garden enough at the Oblate Mission to enable the three members to use fresh vegetables all winter and to make French potatoes every time they may get money for their potatoes. It is reported by Rev. Father N. Laperriere of Fort Rae, up on the extreme north end of Great Slave Lake, more than nine hundred and fifty miles north of the 49th parallel. On a rock-bleached garden meadow by wharfing in soft frosts, crevices farther back from the shore the Mission grew 13 (or 15) bush potatoes, two large cabbages, two heads of rather small cabbages, 40 pounds of tomatoes and 20 of onions. The tomatoes came to a good size, but as the summer was rainy and cool these had to be ripened in the kitchen. Two varieties of peas had good healthy pods but many were still green when caught on December 15, he wrote, hard frost. A little touch of frost before that was insufficient to hurt vegetables. Cabbaging in the garden happened during August in the Grande Prairie district and southward, how are we tempted by the green-eyed monster?

Early varieties of wheat, oats and barley, sown June 2 on a "made" garden grew 22 inches tall but failed to ripen. Potatoes, though fairly good, were scabby and were not so plentiful as usual, for half of one garden was under water. The lake level being very high, perhaps some of the surplus drainage from the Peace watershed was responsible for the inundation at Rae.

Getting Alfalfa Hay with Binder. J. W. Abbott, instruction station operator at Ralston (Fort St. John district), has been an advocate of the practice of growing alfalfa in rows not only for seed production and hay production but also for hay inter-cultivation. This has the advantage that when the crop is not well irrigated and first seedlings seldom are fully so, the inter-cultivated crop will be furnished with an extra quota of soil nutrients, thus growing fairly well and holding the land until incultivation may eventually take place. These fields are adequately inoculated the Beaverlodge Sub-Station much prefers broadcast seedlings for hay since the beds in so high labor is reduced mowing is easier, the hay is less stony and is decidedly free of earth. Mr. Abbott says over two of the objections, so far as the first cutting per season is concerned, to harvesting it with the binder, setting out more than four sheaves to the stack. If more than that were put together it has been found impossible during the recent unfavorable seasons to prevent a mould forming at the pressure area of the inside bundles. The heaving-shattering of bound alfalfa is negligible, the saving justifying the cost of the twine while he finds that a bundle crop requires much less arduous labor, though in the writer's experience, stacking of the bound crop is slower. "All kinds of stock," says Mr. Abbott, "prefer these bundles, generally choosing them in preference to cut bundles. In fact, so few of the cut bundles don't carry much grain."

He finds it somewhat more difficult to avoid mould in sweet feed bundles, and a certain degree of green mould is often noticed on most of them. At the same time both horses and cattle are eating this crop readily.

Legacy and White Cross Oats. Will you have any Legacy oats for seed this coming spring. I had a

good yield with the White Cross oats, 28 bu. per acre, eight per bushel 28 pounds, germination 93 per cent in seven days, 94 per cent in twelve days. They are a very poor-looking oat and still not much of a good market out of poor crop of Banner needed three days later than White Cross. They did not mature to make threshed oats in 197 days. Our season kept them growing and they did not ill and looked like 20 per cent blast. J.L.C., Whitehawk, Alta.

Ans: We grew some Legacy oats on this land where we thought they would be quite safe, but the mid-August frost must have touched them after all, causing our disappointment to receive a germination result of 33 per cent in 7 days and 70 per cent in 12. Unless a re-test shows up better we dare not ship those even if they are wanted, as badly as Banner and Victory. It was also disappointing. We never before knew so light a frost (70°F) to do so much crop damage. I seemed to catch the grain at such a vulnerable stage and in not a few cases strawed early sorts worse than late ones, possibly to some extent because the earlier ones, being then in the head, were so badly as Banner and Victory. If not worse, one must be very careful in harvesting.

It is true that White Cross will not make a popular market oat and to a great extent a medium-early oat as Legacy. A neat pump, short-kernelled white oat of good field qualities and of fair yielding capacity would be an acquisition. Meanwhile, the average season for the farmer will prefer Banner or Victory.

Air-Slaked Lime

Just what is air-slaked lime? "Buster," Valhalla Centre, Alta. Ans: Air-slaked lime is calcium carbonate. It is derived from quicklime (calcium oxide) which has absorbed moisture from the air forming calcium hydroxide, which in turn combines with the carbon dioxide of the air to form calcium carbonate. The substance from which the quicklime was originally obtained by burning.

NEW ROYAL BANK

APPOINTMENTS
B. L. Mitchell, James Muir and Harold G. Healer, Made Assistant General Managers

MONTREAL, Dec. 16.—Appointment of Mr. B. L. Mitchell, Mr. James Muir and Mr. Harold G. Healer, assistant general managers of The Royal Bank of Canada is announced today.

Mr. Mitchell, a native of Montreal, since 1914 supervisor of Ontario branches, becoming assistant general manager following a long and extensive career with the bank in many parts of Canada and Newfoundland. He joined the Union Bank of Halifax in 1908, serving as a junior at the New Glasgow branch. When the Union Bank was absorbed by The Royal Bank of Canada in 1910 Mr. Mitchell was moved to Halifax, and in 1912 to Montreal, where he was appointed manager of the St. John's branch. He served as assistant manager there between 1919 and 1925 he served as manager at Halifax and at Vancouver. In 1929 he was appointed manager at Toronto and five years later supervisor of Ontario branches. As assistant general manager Mr. Mitchell will continue to supervise Ontario branches from headquarters in Toronto.

Mr. Mitchell, the past four years general inspector of The Royal Bank of Canada, is a native of Scotland. Like Mr. Mitchell, he has been engaged in the profession of banking since boyhood and has served the bank in the Dominion and New York. Mr. Muir joined The Royal Bank of Canada at Moose Jaw in 1912, after serving three years with the Commercial Bank of Scotland, Ltd., and was transferred to the bank of India in London, England. In 1916 he was transferred to the bank's department in Winnipeg, and later in the same year became assistant in the Winnipeg Grain Exchange branch. In 1927 he was transferred to the credit department, Head Office, and appointments as inspector, super-

visor's department, Winnipeg, and as assistant supervisor at New York, followed in quick succession. His location in New York as assistant supervisor of the bank's business in Central and South America extended over three years. In 1928 he returned to Winnipeg as manager. His appointment as general inspector, with headquarters in Montreal, followed in December, 1931.

Mr. Harold G. Healer, secretary of The Royal Bank of Canada, was born in Hamilton, Ont., and joined the Montreal branch of the bank as a junior in 1910. He served in various capacities in several branches throughout Ontario until 1915, when he was transferred to Winnipeg. After enlistment in 1916 and service overseas, he rejoined the bank at the Havana branch in July, 1918, and shortly after was appointed accountant at Cienfuegos, Cuba. The following year he was transferred to the supervisor's department, Havana, and in 1928 became joint manager of Havana branch. In 1929 Mr. Healer was moved to Head Office, Montreal, where he has since been closely in touch with the bank's foreign business, having visited personally many of the bank's foreign branches and will continue to perform important offices across the Dominion. He was appointed inspector general in 1931.

The appointments of Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Muir and Mr. Healer become effective immediately.

GORDONDALE

WAITING SINCE JULY, 1930

GORDONDALE, Dec. 12.—An impromptu school meeting was called to ascertain the opinion of the ratepayers towards asking the Minister of Education to erect and establish a school district. In July, 1930, a similar meeting was called and all that was accomplished was "Wait until we get a little crop and sell and then we will see." Districts no larger than our own can point with pride and boast of their churches, schools and community halls, while we have none. It is hoped that a good community spirit of cooperation will correct this condition.

TOM FULSON DIES SUDDENLY

We are sorry to hear of the sudden death of Mr. Tom Fulson of Whitehorse, who while visiting a small amount of firewood dropped dead, apparently from heart failure, which he had suffered the past number of years. According to our information he is survived by his wife, daughter and one son at Penttoun, B.C., one son at the Pas, Manitoba, and one at Whitehorse, also a brother at White Mountain, Alberta.

The funeral was held December 9, interment being made in Blueberry Mountain cemetery.

Friends of the family express their deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

HAZELMERE NEWS

CELEBRATES 13TH BIRTHDAY
HAZELMERE, Dec. 12.—Miss Helen Walker celebrated her 13th birthday on Monday, December 9. Mr. and Mrs. Len Williams and family, also Mrs. E. Williams and the Jordans were guests at the birthday party. The evening was spent in games and listening to the radio.

Congratulations Helen. Many happy returns of your birthday.

Mr. Nellie Bay returned home after a year's absence visiting his people in Denmark.

Congratulations Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dupuis on the birth of a daughter.

SCHOOL CONCERT DEC. 23
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Interesting News From Sexsmith

Vol. IV, No. 26 By R. A. MACLEOD December 17, 1935

Sexsmith Seniors Defeat Grande Prairie 2 to 1

An exhibition game of hockey was played between Grande Prairie and Sexsmith Seniors on Friday night last, resulting in a score of 2 to 1 in favor of the home team.

Had it not been for the big league goal-keeping of the Sexsmith goalie, we are afraid that the score would have been very much for Grande Prairie. Hainsworth, Cude, Tiny Thompson, et al. Cameron was certainly on the job that night, and he was kicking them out from all directions, and stopped quite a few that looked like sure-fire goals. In fact the goal unites from Grande Prairie held up his hand twice but quickly put it in reverse when he noticed that the twice was not bulged.

Not wishing to bring up any allies, but several of the Sexsmith players were certainly not in condition to play. Some of them have their knees in plaster casts and Holman was not there at all, owing to an injured shoulder. Would suggest that these boys be taken to the blacksmith at once and get their joints welded, otherwise when a cup game comes along, p. at mortons will not be much of a satisfaction.

Would also suggest that Jimmy Miller take his sliding pants off and bring along his own skates.

An unfortunate accident occurred when an unintentional tangle occurred between Mackay of Sexsmith and Edmundson of Grande Prairie, 32, mauling, adding his check out with a skate, which required four stitches by Dr. Giamy. This put Frank out for the rest of the game.

The penalties were few and were about evenly divided. Mr. Calverley refereed the game very impartially. There was a large crowd in attendance.

After the game the hockey boys staged a dinner in the Grand Theatre, which was largely attended, and.

BURGERS LOSE SLEEP BECAUSE OF BARKING DOGS

For several nights last week some dogs made the night hideous with their howling, which kept the burglers from their much-needed sleep. This kept up for three nights, when some worthy citizen, who could stand it no longer, reached for his trusty rifle, and set off. Yelps were heard, then silence, and everybody went to sleep. We do not know whether this dog went "west" or not, but the direction does not matter as long as he kept on going, and does not return.

Mighty Nimrods Back From Big Annual Event

The mighty nimrods have returned from a hunting trip somewhere in the vicinity of 65 miles northeast of Sexsmith with a full bag of moose, etc. Moore, Ted Morgan, Jim McNaughton, Arthur Rees and George Peckham left one morning bright and early for the haunts of the wily moose. Mr. Rees was again in charge of the various medicines, he being somewhat of a connoisseur along that line.

After getting to their camp with a sleighload of all the necessities, and getting settled, ways and means were discussed as to the best manner to get their quarry. Jim McNaughton, having been in the cavalry, decided that the best way would be to go mounted, and sent in a requisition to the commissariat department for a mount. Unfortunately for Jim, who presented that his carbones were built close to the ground, the horse sent was built along the general lines of a.

strife, and after several attempts to mount, hit upon the happy idea of getting a ladder, which he trailed along behind him. Mr. G. Duran assisted with stinging and make-up.

Mr. Morgan stated that they saw practically no wolves, and some of the settlers told him that the bears in the early spring must have got them. One afternoon, they shot a couple of moose across the river from where they were camped, intending to get them the following morning. During the night a thaw came along and in the morning the river was glacial ice, and it was impossible for the horse to stand up.

Just what happened next there is some confusion in the telling. Whether they put skates on the horse, or the men put on skates themselves, or that some of them had a skate on, we are not prepared to say. However, a fine time was had by all.

We are authorized to say that if anybody wants some moose meat for Christmas, to apply to any of the above gentlemen—and then try and get it. As Shakespeare said in his "Paradise Lost": "A man's a man for a that."

HOCKEY NOTES

The Junior hockey boys played a game at Grande Prairie with the aggregation of that town, and came out ahead with a margin of one, the being three to two in their favor.

The Senior squad will try to conclude the Western rink on Friday night, December 20, which is to be followed by a dance put on by the Grande Prairie boys.

On Monday night, December 23, Wembley hockey team will come to Sexsmith to play for the Kerr-Orr Cup. From all accounts this is quite a team and our boys will have to put on the power to keep 'em cup in Sexsmith.

GIVEN TOKEN OF REGARD

Charles Gathereole, who has been assistant at the Royal Bank here for the past few years, left on Tuesday's train for Calgary, where he will be in hard office.

Before leaving Charlie was presented with a token of regard from the citizens, who were sorry to see him go, although congratulating him on his promotion and wishing him the best of luck.

SEASON TICKETS ON SALE

Season tickets are now on sale for the coming winter. The prices are as follows: Family tickets, \$4; gent's, \$2.50; ladies \$2 and children \$1. See Art Peniva, manager of the rink for your ticket.

WEDDING BELLS

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of the United Church on Tuesday night at 7 o'clock, when Miss Harriet Williamson of Sexsmith and Mr. John Edward Plane, manager of Pool Elevator No. 2, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the Rev. Mr. Delve.

The bride looked lovely in a gown of wine color, pressed velvet, and the bridegroom in blue crepe. The groom was supported by his brother, Mack Plane.

The groom's present to the bride was a complete set of toilet articles, and to the bridegroom a compact. Only the immediate friends of the family were present.

After the ceremony a wedding supper was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. A. L. Hays. The table was very prettily decorated, a four-tier wedding cake being the centerpiece.

After the supper a number of well-wishers called and tendered their congratulations to the newlyweds. Mr. and Mrs. Plane will reside at their home on South Street, Sexsmith.

DR. GANEY AWAY FOR AWHILE

Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Ganey of Sexsmith expect to leave Friday, December 20, for Tucson, Arizona, and intend to return about May 1. Dr. Nixon of Vancouver will take care of Dr. Ganey's patients while the latter is on his holiday.

SPIRIT RIVER NEWS

LEGION'S SOCIAL EVENING VERY ENJOYABLE ONE

SPRIT RIVER, Dec. 17.—The local branch of the Canadian Legion held a very enjoyable social evening in the Oddfellows Hall on Wednesday, December 17. Seven tables were made up for whist, honoree going to Mrs. J. C. Kerr and Comrade E. Cox, who drove with Comrade G. S. Wilson and won the "cut".

Lunch was provided by the Legion Auxiliary, with Mrs. T. Wright in charge.

A short dance followed, with Comrade E. Holmberg and Fred Williams doing good service on violin and piano.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Winchell left last Wednesday morning for an extended trip to the states of Washington and California.

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Rappell, Mr. Allen Mortenson, Mr. Alan McDougall and Mr. Percy Hamilton. Mrs. J. P. Rappell and Mrs. A. M. Oke directed, and Mrs. G. Duran assisted with stinging and make-up.

Mr. J. K. Smith, its chairman, announced that the play was being presented to help in the financing of the new hospital. In consideration of that purpose, the Masonic Lodge gave free use of the hall for the evening.

The hall was well filled for the dance which followed the proceeds of which also went to the hospital fund.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH (Anglican)
Spiral River
REV. J. W. DONALDSON, B.A.
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Sunday, December 22
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.

7:30 p.m.—Combined Christmas service of United and Anglican churches. Special music.

3:00 p.m.—Chinook Valley School Christmas Day, December 25

11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA AT SPIRIT RIVER
Minister:
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MISS RUBY K. JOHNSON

Sunday, December 22
11:00 a.m.—Church School at Spirit River.

11:00 a.m.—Public Worship at Spirit River.

1:00 p.m.—Church School at Rycroft.

2:30 p.m.—Public Worship at White Mountain.

7:30 p.m.—Combined Christmas service will be held in St. Andrew's Church. Junior and Senior Chorus of both churches will take part. Special music, with Mr. A. P. Bott as organist.

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I think the roads will be good enough to come to sleigh because when the people that are on the road hear your bells they will be so frightened that they will play through the snow and you will have a good road. I hope you will visit my house. It is on fourth avenue north.
"Ta Ta" dear Santa.
Your friend,
Esther Law.

Dec. 13, 1935.

Dear Santa,
How are you? I hope your reindeer are well enough to come over from the North Pole. Please help the poor children.

Your loving friend,
Frances.

Grande Prairie, Alta.
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Dear Santa Claus:
I hope you will come in airplane so I can hear you. I will leave a ladder at the side of the house so you can get up. Elsie Ladan wants a doll. Esther wants a sweater. Stephen wants a gun. And Edna Keys wants a strap as her mother can strap her. And be sure you don't dirty the floor when you come down the chimney because mother caught cleaned up.

Your friend,
A boy (Grade V).

DADDY AND THE APPLES
Daddy called me in a very excited voice. I ran at once to see what was the matter. Daddy had been picking apples and when he was going to get down with the pan full of apples he caught the seat of his pants on a branch. I squealed with delight for I thought he was just showing me a trick. Now there was a little lake by the garden and the apple tree was right by the lake. While I was standing there laughing, daddy was calling mamma to come and help when splash! daddy fell in. I screamed. Daddy got out but the apples did not and mamma's good pan was gone—Marjorie Siemens, Grade VII.

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MY DISAPPOINTMENT

Last night I was bound to go sleighing, but I couldn't, as I had to go to Mrs. Falkner's for practice. After practicing I ran better—skater to the rink as I didn't want to miss my skate. When I got there it was almost six o'clock.—Dorothy Patterson, Grade III.

Billy Bessent's Spelling Sentence
The man had so many brakes in his body that he died.

Patsy Conley was playing outside when Bobby Bessent hit her. She went to Miss McFarlane and said: "Miss McFarlane, the quintuplets hit me."

MY KITTY
My kitty has many colors. His colors are white and black. He spends his time playing and sleeping. He will sit up and jump through one's arms when you want him to. He also has a name from a mouse. His name is Mickey.—Rodney Fawcett, Grade III.

Grades 1 are having a Christmas party Friday afternoon, December 20.

John Shaver, Peggy Bean and Lorraine Parlow have been away from school because of illness.

A lighted Christmas tree in the Grade 1 room has given much pleasure the past week.

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HOW I FOUND OUT THERE WAS NO SANTA

When I was seven years old and had just started school, we smaller ones began to get excited for some of the big ones laughed when we spoke of the Santa Claus, and said there was none. We all firmly believed there was. So to prove this I decided to stay awake on Christmas Eve.

Mother sent me off to bed, although I did not want to go, and told me Santa would not come if I did not go. After I got into bed I lay awake for a long time, thinking how surprised Santa would be when I caught him. After awhile when Santa did not appear I began to think that perhaps he would not come if I did not go to sleep. Soon after this I heard a noise and I was sure it must be Santa, as I cuddled down and pretended to be asleep. Then I heard the rattle of paper and decided to take a peep. I was only my mother.

I was dreadfully disappointed and cried myself to sleep. Next morning the presents did not seem half as interesting as they had been some years ago. Because I knew Santa hadn't brought them. Oh, how I often wished I had waited a year longer to spy on Santa!

Bertha Hodges.

LITERARY SOCIETY MEETING
On December 12 the Literary Society met in the music room again for a program put on by Grade VII.

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Gleanings of Interest To the Women Folks

By THE GLEANER

CHRISTMAS CANDLES

(By J. M.)

If we would light a candle in our windows and leave the curtains drawn quite wide apart, so that on Christmas night some lonely traveler might see the light and memories touch his heart, when he was a little child at Christmas, and saw bright candles on his Christmas tree, if only everyone would light a candle, what lots of shining Christmas thoughts there'd be!

If we would say some kindly prayers at Christmas for those whose hearts are sad or in distress, I think our prayers would turn the golden candle and shed a little light of happiness.

And though the candles we set in our windows may blow out if too strong a wind prevails, I know that all our prayers will keep on shining, for candles lit in Heaven never fail.

If we would all say prayers for lonely people who in Life's Dark need kindly thoughts to guide, then Heaven would run gold with all the candles that in His Name were lit this Christmas.

Tomorrow (Friday) the girls boarding at the Academy will leave for their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Connell of the Grand were in town on Tuesday to visit their daughter, Nora, at the Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bayhan and Pat were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Weicker of Rossmore for a cozy supper on Sunday evening.

The North End Two-Table Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Dan Whelan on Wednesday and the honors went to Mrs. Frenchie and Mrs. Harrie.

Miss M. Garrett of the Municipal Hospital staff, who at present is the guest of Mrs. Carroll, leaves on Friday for Vancouver, where she will spend a short vacation.

FINISH THEIR DOLL WORK
Mrs. Mel Fowler's group of C.G.T. met at the home of Mrs. Stauffer on Tuesday evening, when the girls finished making and dressing the dolls they intend for Christmas presents.

C. G. I. T. GROUP HAVE PARTY
Miss Mary Robertson's group of the C. G. I. T. had a party in the basement hall of St. Paul's United Church on Tuesday night. Games were played, cake included in, and presents exchanged. The girls presented their leader with a Christmas gift.

PRIMARY S. S. HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY
The primary Sunday school at St. Paul's United Church, under the direction of Mrs. W. J. Thomson, had their Christmas party in the basement hall of the church on Wednesday afternoon. The little ones brought their mothers and entertained them with a program, and a Christmas tree, Santa Claus an all complete.

A. Y. P. A. ENJOY SKATING PARTY
Featuring the first winter outing of the Anglican Young People's Association, a group of over twenty-five of the younger set held a skating party at the Wapiti rink on Monday evening. The enjoyment of the occasion continued as the party repaired to the Speke Hall for an old-fashioned bean supper and dancing.

DR. AND MRS. HAYNES ENTERTAIN AT CARDS
Dr. and Mrs. Haynes entertained Saturday evening at three tables of bridge. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. O. Graham, Dr. and Mrs. O'Brien, Mrs. L. C. Porteous, Mrs. and Mrs. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. James.

The hostess served a very tasty luncheon at the close of play, which concluded a delightful and happy evening.

GRANDE PRAIRIE WOMEN'S LIBERAL CLUB ANNUAL MEETING ON JANUARY 24

At a meeting of the Grande Prairie Women's Liberal Club executive it was decided to hold the annual meeting on Friday, January 24, at 3 p.m., in the Grande Prairie Hotel dining room. This is an important meeting and all members are requested to attend.

At all Christian Science churches next Sunday the subject of the Lesson-Sermon will be "Is the Universe a Machine?" The following is one of the scriptural quotations contained in the Lesson-Sermon: "The world was framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear" (Hebrews 11:3). One of the curious passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, is as follows: (page 512): "From the infinite elements of the one Mind emanate all form, color, quality, and taste, and these are mental, both primarily and secondarily. Their spiritual nature is discerned only through the spiritual sense."

At the Churches
REMEMBER THE SABBATH DAY TO KEEP IT HOLY

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH
Grande Prairie
Minister: REV. J. G. GODDARD
Director of Music: H. L. YADONIAN, A.R.C.M.
Sunday, December 22
CHRISTMAS SERVICES
"O Holy Child in the Night"
And on earth peace among men in whom he is well pleased"

11 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon subject: "The Greatest Story Ever Told." Make the Christmas service a family service. Junior Choir.
12:15 p.m.—The Church School. Classes for all.
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship. Service of Christmas music. The choir will render a special program of Christmas services.
We cordially invite you to these Christmas services.

MCLAURIN BAPTIST CHURCH
Grande Prairie
REV. J. M. BAXTER, Pastor.
Pastor, Miss Yornan
Sunday, December 22
CHRISTMAS SERVICES
Grande Prairie—
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service.
A sacred drama, entitled "The Challenge of the Cross," will be presented at this service by a number of young women from the church. The Junior Choir will also assist.
Percy School—
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School. Service. Beginner Hall.
3:00 p.m.—Sunday School and Service in charge of Mr. Ashdown.
A united service will be held Christmas Day in the Salvation Army hall at 10 a.m. All are heartily welcome.

FORBES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grande Prairie
Minister: REV. C. E. FISHER
Order of Services
Grande Prairie each Sabbath at 7:30 p.m.—
Five Mile Creek, Flying Shot, and Bear Lake as winter arrangements.

CHRIST CHURCH (ANGELICAN)
Grande Prairie
REV. R. J. PIERCE, L.T.R., Rector
Fourth Sunday in Advent
9:00 a.m.—Communion of the A. Y. P. A.
11:00 a.m.—Matins.
12:30 p.m.—Sunday School.
7:30 p.m.—Carol Service.

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CLAIRMONT UNITED CHURCH
Minister: STANLEY R. HUNT, D.D.
Sunday, December 22
11 a.m.—Christmas Sunday School. Christmas service at 11 a.m. (Ladies school 11 a.m.)
Crystal Cross, 2:00 p.m.
Choir, 7:30 p.m. The choir will sing several numbers of the cantata, "The Nazareth."

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Mr. John Bauman, a leading actor and manager in London, reads an account of the murder in the newspapers, and being interested attends Martella's trial. Some points that escape the notice of the judge and jury lead Sir John to believe that Martella is innocent and is shielding the real culprit. He determines to discover the real murderer. Finally, after putting into effect a most ingenious plan, he succeeds, and Martella is released from prison and pronounced "Not guilty."

An interesting book. The plot well worked out.

Dwell in the Wilderness: by Alvan C. Bossie.
An American story with an unusual theme. Amelia was obsessed by a conviction of sin. Her husband, Eben had too kind a heart to succeed in business and his subsequent failure Amelia attributed to sin and its consequences. She dominated and they would say and do almost anything to avoid her displeasure. Marley became a wealthy executive. Roger was successful but drank too much. Dewey was interested in the Little Theatre and toured the country with his players. Amelia, who never understood, married and was divorced. Her love was faithful but she despised him. Evelyn, an acumen, and considered the love of an unsuccessful person a burden and a cross to be borne.

The book is a most interesting study of a psychological condition and draws a vivid picture of the dangers of constant introspection. When asked what she cared for most in this world, Amelia answered, "My reputation." Her whole life, with its effects upon the characters of her family, serves to warn of the devastating effects of egomania in any of its many forms.

An exceptional character study.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
At all Christian Science churches next Sunday the subject of the Lesson-Sermon will be "Is the Universe a Machine?" The following is one of the scriptural quotations contained in the Lesson-Sermon: "The world was framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear" (Hebrews 11:3). One of the curious passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, is as follows: (page 512): "From the infinite elements of the one Mind emanate all form, color, quality, and taste, and these are mental, both primarily and secondarily. Their spiritual nature is discerned only through the spiritual sense."

At the Churches
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ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH
Grande Prairie
Minister: REV. J. G. GODDARD
Director of Music: H. L. YADONIAN, A.R.C.M.
Sunday, December 22
CHRISTMAS SERVICES
"O Holy Child in the Night"
And on earth peace among men in whom he is well pleased"

11 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon subject: "The Greatest Story Ever Told." Make the Christmas service a family service. Junior Choir.
12:15 p.m.—The Church School. Classes for all.
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship. Service of Christmas music. The choir will render a special program of Christmas services.
We cordially invite you to these Christmas services.

MCLAURIN BAPTIST CHURCH
Grande Prairie
REV. J. M. BAXTER, Pastor.
Pastor, Miss Yornan
Sunday, December 22
CHRISTMAS SERVICES
Grande Prairie—
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service.
A sacred drama, entitled "The Challenge of the Cross," will be presented at this service by a number of young women from the church. The Junior Choir will also assist.
Percy School—
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School. Service. Beginner Hall.
3:00 p.m.—Sunday School and Service in charge of Mr. Ashdown.
A united service will be held Christmas Day in the Salvation Army hall at 10 a.m. All are heartily welcome.

FORBES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grande Prairie
Minister: REV. C. E. FISHER
Order of Services
Grande Prairie each Sabbath at 7:30 p.m.—
Five Mile Creek, Flying Shot, and Bear Lake as winter arrangements.

CHRIST CHURCH (ANGELICAN)
Grande Prairie
REV. R. J. PIERCE, L.T.R., Rector
Fourth Sunday in Advent
9:00 a.m.—Communion of the A. Y. P. A.
11:00 a.m.—Matins.
12:30 p.m.—Sunday School.
7:30 p.m.—Carol Service.

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SEASON'S GREETINGS

May Happiness attend you this Christmastide and peace and plenty attend you and yours throughout the New Year.

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IT WILL PAY YOU TO BUY HERE

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TO OUR MANY FRIENDS AND PATRONS WE WISH

A Merry Christmas

Happy New Year

We also take this opportunity of thanking our many friends throughout the district for their patronage during the past year and hope that we may continue to merit their patronage in the coming year of 1934.

YOU WILL ENJOY THE HOLIDAY MORE BY DINING AT THE PALACE

Social Christmas and New Year's Dinner For family groups or individual service

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS ICE CREAM (in bricks)

Will add the finishing touch to your dinner

Palace Cafe

Jack Marvin, Proprietor

Grande Prairie

Clairmont Seniors Defeat Grande Prairie 4 to 2

In a game which was anything but high-class hockey excepting in a few spots, Clairmont Seniors defeated Grande Prairie in three 20-minute periods at the Wapiti Rink on Tuesday night by a score of 4 to 2.

Allowance must, of course, be made for the fact that the season has just commenced and neither team has struck its stride. In the first period neither team was dangerous until after about thirteen minutes of play, then Bud Ireland for Clairmont found the net unassisted. Though the visitors had the edge for the balance of the period no further damage was done.

The second period had gotten well under way when Allen for the visitors shot from the blue line and the puck went in off Spicers attack.

In this period the Grande Prairie goalie did some excellent work and no Clairmont players, though at times threatening, were unable to count further.

The third period proved the most interesting and there were flashes of real hockey.

Bud Ireland got into the limelight again when after four minutes of play he scored on an assist from Allen.

The game was delayed when Anderson, the Clairmont goal tender, was hit on the jaw with the puck. He luckily, however, finished the game.

Bud Ireland finished off his night's effective work by again finding the net on a pass from Allen.

Grande Prairie then took on new life and pressed hard, and were rewarded when Charlie Turner scored on a pass from Ken Crummy. This was the first time the local fans had seen some cheering and they were not slow to take advantage of it.

When play was resumed the locals put everything they had into the game and a minute before time Wright beat Anderson on a pass from Allen.

Johnny Shields acted as referee and Jack Crummy as time-keeper.

The Clairmont boys were accompanied by a good bunch of rosters. Clairmont—Goal, Fred Anderson; G. Forward, R. Ireland; Defense, Allan Clark, Bud Ireland, Ben Allen, forward, Walter Collette, Frank Duda, Mervyn Nixon, Dave Turner, E. White, subs.

Grande Prairie—G. Donaldson, goal; H. Spicers and E. Pender, defense; forward, D. Law, Rusty Black, Roy Wright, Ken Wilson, Ken Crummy, C. Turner.

Sexsmith Juniors Won Over Locals By Score of 3-2

Sexsmith Juniors invaded Grande Prairie on Monday night and snatched a victory from the local Juniors by the close margin of 3 to 2 in three 15-minute periods at the Wapiti Rink.

There was little to choose between the teams and the game was very even throughout.

Both teams had a tendency to back, which interfered with effective play at times. However, the game was an interesting one and the good-sized crowd were kept on their toes all through.

For Grande Prairie, Allan Bradley proved the speed artist—in fact he was about the fastest skater on the ice and made many spectacular rushes.

Jack Spicer on defense was most effective in blocking and getting away. All the locals turned in a good game.

The boys from Sexsmith also all played well, with Buster Brown proving the bright and skillful star.

This fourteen-year-old lad proved that he has plenty of hockey brains and his work was in a small way responsible for the visitors' win.

The game was very even in the first period up to half time, when Buster Brown beat the opposing goalie on a pass from Tom Meen.

Towards the end of the period Grande Prairie made a combined rush and in a mix-up the puck went into the net off Sumner's skate.

End-to-end rushes featured the first half of the second period. Bob Card beat Enns with a good shot. One down, the visitors put on extra steam and Tom Meen scored a good goal on a pass from Brown.

In the third stanza both teams tried

hard to break the tie. Bradley snatched the puck from the right side and scored, but the referee disallowed the goal on the grounds of offsides.

End-to-end rushes followed and promising shots were swept aside by the goalies.

Just before time Sexsmith finished off a rush by beating Spicer when Brown counted from close in.

The following is the line-up: Sexsmith—Goal, Jack Enns; defense, Meis Sumner and Jack Hall. Forwards: Buster Brown, Tom Meen, Ted Meen, Ted Shaw and Bryce Burns.

Grande Prairie—Goal, Dan Spicer; defense, C. Stojan, E. Canning, Bill Ruse and Jack Spicer. Forwards: Bob Card, Allan Wright, Allan Bradley, David Smith, Roy Duffy and Bill Bromley.

Johnny Shields made a most efficient referee. Ira Card held the watch.

George Cameron, manager of the visitors, accompanied his team.

Grande Prairie High School Dec. Test Results

The following is a list, alphabetically arranged, of the twenty-five students (one-quarter of the total) who made highest averages in the December tests, completed at Grande Prairie High School:

Anderson, Clarence; Lyne, Margaret; Buehert, Bob; Oliver, Florence; Canning, Dorothy; Oxley, Phyllis; Dever, Norma; Patterson, Rhoda; Duffy, Jack; Shaw, Dorcas; Dunlop, Kathleen; Smart, Jean; Dunlop, Marion; Stauffer, Hazel; Hanning, Marie; Stevenson, Mary; Henning, Mildred; Stojan, Jerry; Koye, Kathleen; Thomson, Jane; Lewis, Cecil; Ward, Clifford; Luxemburg, Helen.

ENTERTAINS PARTY OF FRIENDS TO FISH DINNER

A. E. R. Murphy, representing Pat Burns & Company in the Peace River, entertained a party of friends to a festive and interesting dinner at the Palace Cafe on Friday evening last week.

The service was of a high order in keeping with the reputation of the popular restaurant. The guests were: C. R. McKay, J. Baird, D. V. Y. Croken and Arnold Christie.

Short speeches were made and at the conclusion of the pleasant hour Mr. Murphy wished everyone a merry Christmas.

Mr. Murphy left on Saturday for the north side of the river. Later he will proceed to Edmonton.

NOTES FROM THE BADMINTON CLUB

Disappointment was felt last Sunday by Grande Prairie badminton fans when neither Lysteroff nor Spirit River players who had been expected to play on the Grande Prairie courts, were unable to come.

Interest in running high with some thirty players using the badminton courts each night and new recruits of this season are rapidly acquainting themselves with the finer technique of badminton.

Accepting a challenge for the Rivers Cup from Miss Margaret Dalgleish and Mr. A. W. Roddick Thursday night last week and a second one on Tuesday night of this, from Miss Emile Watson and George Vagt, two close matches ensued. However, the cup holders, Miss G. Gant and Wm. Storm, retained the coveted trophy in two straight wins in each case.

No games were played for the Coburn Cup, held by Wm. Salmond and Wm. Storm.

ITALIAN WOUNDED COMING FROM BATTLE LINES

ARMARIA, Brites, Dec. 18.—Scores of Italian wounded, including several officers, came out of the Tarkaze River front today. They were the first casualties from a battle raging there for three days. For many hours the outcome of the engagement—which officers regarded as highly important—was in doubt. Details were scanty, but Italian were confident reinforcements would decide the battle in their favor. Officers suggested the Ethiopians might ultimately find their retreat cut off and would be compelled to surrender or be annihilated.

HAPPENINGS AT THE WAPITI RINK

The Wapiti Rink has been a very busy place this week.

Monday the Red Wings clashed with the Sexsmith Juniors, and a very interesting game was played.

Tuesday the senior hockey team was beaten by Clairmont.

The Edmonton skating rinks are looking forward to next week, when one of our Lady Experts of the Shining Blades will exhibit her stuff (on the aforesaid blades).

It is a good thing Billy Spicer is not geared any higher, or the rink management would have to raise the speed limit. Shades of Noel Hapies! this young man sure steps on the gas.

Old Cucumber Bill is very anxious for all the old-time adult skaters to try out during the periods set aside for them on Monday and Thursday, from 8 to 10 p.m., when they will not have any kids to fall over.

Don't forget the Hockey Boys' Dance on Friday. They don't need the money, but you will enjoy a good time.

EDMONTON LIVE STOCK

EDMONTON, Dec. 16.—There were insufficient fresh cattle arrivals to make a market. Good kinds moving freely, common and inferior kinds hard to move. Prices generally steady and unchanged with real calves fifty cents higher. Hogs steady up to noon. Hiding \$8.85 for trucked-in hogs.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Billie Hayhan wishes to inform the public that he is still in the new and second-hand business. Just take the same old entrance and walk to the rear of the Bayview Block, where you will find a large assortment of goods at right prices.

Hog Men!

I AM SHIPPING HOGS SATURDAY, JAN. 4TH and Will Pay Highest Cash Price on or before above date. Be Sure and See Me Before You Sell Your Hogs

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RETURNS TO CRETE
Former Premier Venizelos of Greece probably will return to the island of Crete to resume residence on Greek soil as a private citizen. He was exiled following an abortive revolt a short time ago, but when King George returned to the throne he was offered complete amnesty.

CAPITOL

THEATRE

If the present weather holds out, the coming week gives every promise of being a very gay one in Grande Prairie. The buildings on the main business street are being festooned with hundreds of colored lights and during the holiday season this section of town will be a riot of color.

At the Capitol Theatre, the attractions billed for the week are in keeping with the town's decorations, being "glorious and scintillating." On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday the gorgeous musical spectacle, "Tine In My Heart," featuring Richard Tauber, will be shown. Then on Thursday, Friday and Saturday another brilliant hit, "The Gay Divorcee." With two such items on the Christmas week bill of fare, the Capitol will probably be packed every night.

In addition to the talkie picture attractions there will be gay dances at the Wapiti rink and a Christmas Eve novelty dance in Elks Hall.

GOLDEN-VOICED TENOR STAR OF "BLOSSOM TIME"

Featured at Capitol During Early Part Of Christmas Week—December 23rd, 24th and 25th

"Blossom Time," the story of which is a new version of the life of Franz Schubert, presents in the star role, in his first British talkie, the world-famous "golden-voiced" tenor, Richard Tauber, who, with side whiskers and (having pocketed his famous monocle) a pair of specially-made spectacles similar to those worn by Schubert in 1820, bore a most remarkable resemblance to the famous composer.

Tauber, who prefers to sing and talk in German, has already made five talkies in Germany.

He started out as a composer, and at the age of eighteen was conducting an orchestra. His ambition was to be a singer, however, but his father (who was once the producer-in-chief at the Opera House, Chemnitz, Saxony) was not so keen and sent Richard to Freiburg University to learn composition and the history of music. Once out of his father's sight, he turned his attention to singing and, coming home three months later, amazed his father with his beautiful voice, thus setting himself sent back to Freiburg, for further tuition.

He made his stage singing debut in operetta about twelve years ago and went to London in 1903, in "The Land of Smiles." His name is synonymous with the song "You Are My Heart's Delight," which, of course, made his name famous in England.

Tauber was recently presented to the King and Queen when singing at the Albert Hall. Millions of radio listeners have, whenever he has been on the air, thrilled to his voice. He is, incidentally, an enthusiastic radio fan himself and a practical expert in set construction. He is also a keen cinematographer.

Born in Linz, Austria, on May 10, forty-four years ago, he is of a somewhat rotund figure, with a gay, boyish air. His lovely home in Vienna is within a stone's throw of the old Schubert house, and he has always been a great student of the "unhappy" composer.

DANCE KING AND QUEEN IN NOW CO-STARRED IN "THE GAY DIVORCEE"

Many motion picture casts have boasted power even a Duke or so, but HKO Radio goes them all two better by co-starring a King and Queen in the musical comedy, "The Gay Divorcee," starting at the Capitol Theatre on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, December 20, 21, 22.

First Astaire and Ginger Rogers, the stars, were recently crowned, by public acclaim, as the "King and Queen of Cariboo" because of their interpretation of the fiery, exciting dance in "Flying Down to Rio."

In "The Gay Divorcee" the great Terpsichorean pair present two grand new dances, one called "Day and Night" originated by Astaire and called "the dance of moods" another, the hit of the show, called "The Continental."

The latter creation, staged by Dave Gould, who staged the "Cariboo" in "Flying Down to Rio," has already become the rage with movie folks who call it "The Joy Dance" because it is said to combine beauty and sport, and is also well within the capabilities of young and old.

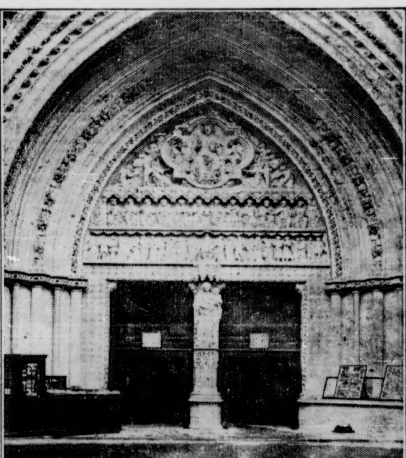
Musical lyrics for "The Continental" are the work of Con Conrad and Herb Magdon, authors of the current novelty song, "Yes, Sir, I Love Your Daughter." Conrad wrote "Champagne Waltz."

The play, a comedy and rollicking comedy built around a 100-mile-an-hour romance involving Astaire, Miss Rogers, Alice Brady, and a young Everett Horton, was adapted for the screen from the stage play which ran a full season in New York and another six months in London, starring Astaire.



KING'S BELOVED SISTER 'ASSES SUDDENLY

Princess Victoria Alexandra Olga Mary, sister of King George, died at her home in Buckinghamshire, following a short illness. "Toria," as she was called by her relations, was less in the public eye than any other member of the royal family, and so completely was her life devoted to her father, the late King Edward, and to her mother, Queen Alexandra, that she was 59 before she had a home of her own. Then she bought a small house in Buckingham, where she lived until her death. All her life Princess Victoria took a keen interest in hospital work and above, top left she is seen, right, with her mother Queen Alexandra, on Alexandra Day, 1917, starting out to aid the taggers. At the right is a picture of the beloved Princess when she was considered the smartest dressed Princess in Court circles, while below she is seen on the extreme right of the royal family group on the balcony of Buckingham Palace on the occasion of the Silver Jubilee celebrations this year.



GRIMY WESTMINSTER HAS ITS FACE LIFTED

The beautiful stone carvings at the north door of Westminster Abbey have been carefully cleaned of the grime of years and are now in their original condition. Note the beautiful "Virgin and Child" group in an almost perfect state of preservation.



DISCUSS FILM TO STAR DIONNES

A few tips on how to play the part of Dr. Allan Dufoe in the forthcoming movie, "The Country Doctor," starring the Dionne quintuplets, were given Jean Harlow, left, stage star cast for the part, by Dr. Dufoe himself, when the two met at Callander, Ont.

What One Girl Wore:

By Betty Brownlee

Hollywood influences Miss America's fashion almost as much as Paris does. Not only is this true of the gorgeous gowns and frocks sported by our most glamorous stars but also of lingerie.

How often have you, viewing a gay and naughty little scene from some frivolous picture or an alluring romantic episode in the celluloid version of a Park Avenue heroine's life, said to yourself:

"Gosh! How I would like to have a negligee like that!"



Perhaps it was not a negligee but a tea gown or a hostess gown or even a night gown. Of course, you have wanted the lovely trifles which lend so much glamor to the stars of the screen. But, honestly, now, most of us feel as though we really need an excuse for buying such luxuries, don't we?

This week we are illustrating one of the loveliest night gowns inspired by Hollywood fashions. And if you can't think up a really good excuse to get one for yourself, don't forget Christmas is on the way. And, in a generous mood, wait such a gown might not be appropriate for your most dignified aunt, your best girl friend will love it.

This one is of the long-sleeved type and introduces smoking in a dress-maker effect at the shoulders and sleeves. It is in shell pink satin, daintily trimmed with a small Peter Pan collar and tiny pearl buttons for fastening.

Are you one of those well-meaning people who, year after year, have had the experience of leaving your Christmas shopping until the last minute and then, without any definite plan in view, start out madly in the Christmas Eve rush, dashing from counter to counter in overcrowded stores in endeavoring to find suitable gifts. If you are, you'll have to admit—won't you?—that it takes all the joy out of Christmas shopping. So heed this reminder.

Accessories are always welcome Christmas gifts, and today we illustrate particularly smart ones. In the upper portion of the panel you'll find an unusual pair of gloves, which may be worn with a black, white or purple formal afternoon or dinner gown. The palms are of black kid and the outside of the gloves are in white kid, with cross-hatch stitching in quilted effect.

The black antelope belt has its cut-out interest at back and plain buckles into which the belt is crushed at the front. Gold kid underlies the cut-outs. Black velvet gantlets with two padded rolled edges are nice with a coat or suit that is cuffless, and the black antelope pouch has a jeweled clasp and bar pierced by two tabs.

FRANCO-BRITISH PLAN FORMALLY SHELVED

GENEVA, Dec. 19.—Council of the League of Nations formally shelved the Franco-British plan for peace between Italy and Ethiopia at a meeting late today. A member of the Council said there was no immediate question of imposing an oil embargo on Italy.

ETHIOPIANS DEFEATED IN THREE-DAY BATTLE, SAYS ITALIAN GOVERNMENT

ROME, Dec. 18.—Italian government claimed today its north Ethiopian army had defeated the Ethiopians in a three-day battle along the Takkaze River, killing five hundred warriors. Italian dead in the battle were announced as 272 officers and men. The area fought over included the villages of Mai Tinschet and Danba Guina.

PROVINCES AGREE TO SUPERVISION OF RELIEF EXPENDITURES PLAN

OTTAWA, Dec. 16.—Every provincial government in Canada, including the social credit administration in Alberta, has agreed to place relief expenditures under the direct supervision of the proposed National Commission on Unemployment, Premier King announced here Sunday.

BRITISH PRACTICALLY ABANDON PEACE PLAN

GENEVA, Dec. 18.—Britain practically abandoned the famous Franco-British peace plan in the League of Nations Council today, and Ethiopia indicated refusal of it in any event. Anthony Eden, minister for League of Nations affairs, said his government would not stay with the plan unless Ethiopia, Italy and the League all accepted it.

PREMIER KING EXPECTED TO INCREASE RELIEF GRANTS

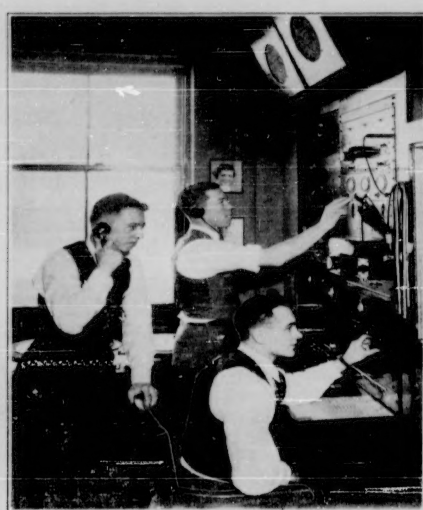
OTTAWA, Dec. 19.—An increase of approximately 25 per cent over the sums of monthly grants in aid, inaugurated by the Bennett government last July, for the provinces on behalf of direct relief, is expected when Premier King announces late Thursday the provincial contributions his government proposes to make.



CHINA CLIPPER COMPLETES ROUND TRIP

The big flying boat China Clipper, has just completed her round trip to Manila and back to California. She cut a six-week journey by boat into two six-day flights, and her average speed for the 10,000-mile trip to Manila and back was two miles a minute. The captain of the giant plane, Captain Edwin C. Musick, has a most remarkable flying record. He learned to fly 22 years ago and since that time has travelled over 1,000,000 miles in airplanes. He is proud of a record which is figured in other measures than percentages. No serious accident has ever befallen any aircraft of which he was the pilot, and no injury has ever been caused to any passenger in any of his planes.

NEWS FROM CJCA



"COME IN, EDMONTON!"

Oh-Oh! Trouble! The main control room at CJCA in one of its periodic spells of hectic happenings. Seated is Joe Stasopoulos, engineer in charge of equipment. Assistant Engineer and Bryant is looking for trouble, while Operator Bob Kelt is busy relaying a phone message. . . could it be from the boss?

Special Xmas Broadcast To Thrill All Canada

CRC Presents Two-Hour Feature, "Canada Celebrates Christmas"—Inspiring Program Begins 1 p.m. On Christmas Day



THAT—With the spirit of peace and goodwill prevalent everywhere, your news hound is spending the last few days ahead of Christmas in snuffing around seeing what can be dug up in the nature of sensational pre-Christmas news. . . but everyone at the big thousand-watt plant of CJCA seems to be too busy to dish out much in the way of news.

THAT—The big item of the moment is the news of the CRC broadcast on Christmas, when CJCA parties, at least three times, sending a choir an interview with an eleven-year-old girl, and a "play-by-play" of the landing of a plane at the airport in the National Network. Sounds good, so be listen!

THAT—Charlie Chan, the sensational mystery thriller brought to the radio fans by Edmonton's Gas Company, is ready getting its teeth in. The famous Chinese detective has "on all questions" . . . and that's no fooling! But you know what it's like . . . like the news hound, you're a Charlie Chan enthusiast too.

THAT—Bill Adams, chief announcer and sport editor, is busy, he was in for a big hockey broadcast in the not too distant future. Just what he's got up his sleeve you never can tell, but stick around . . . it should be good.



DUCK HUNTING IN THE NEAR FUTURE
—Herald in the Birmingham Age-Herald.



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Capital Punishment Proves Subject of a Very Interesting Debate

Resolved That Capital Punishment Be Abolished, was the subject of an interesting debate held in St. Joseph's Separate School, Grande Prairie on Sunday night.

The affirmative was taken by George Chard and Father Conway, while the negative was argued by Father O'Donnell and J. H. Sissons. A. E. Galloway occupied the chair and the judges were Dr. O'Brien, J. P. McIsaac and Mayor Tooley.

During the evening the school choir rendered several delightful selections. Frank Spicer also lent a pleasing variety to the program by giving a recitation.

George Chard, who led the affirmative said that no one had the right to make him a party to a murder. He was also opposed to capital punishment because occasionally innocent individuals have been executed. The speaker quoted Sir James McIntosh, noted British criminologist, as saying that over a long period an average of one innocent man was hanged every year.

Mr. Chard contended that capital punishment was not a deterrent to crime, and he quoted figures from various American states to support his claim.

The horror of inflicting the death sentence caused jurors to tolerate their oath and the guilty person is in many instances let off, while if life imprisonment, which the leader of the affirmative suggested, was an alternative penalty, justice would be done. Mr. Chard charged that the enforcement of capital punishment had a brutalizing effect on society.

Father O'Donnell, first speaker for the negative described society as made up of individuals with certain rights, who look for protection of life and rights. The speaker made it quite clear that he believed in capital punishment for one crime only and that after fair trial. "We argue," he observed, "that extreme cases need extreme penalties."

Father O'Donnell quoted Scripture to show that extreme laws had been always applied in the case of taking life. The command "Thou shalt not kill" is relative and not absolute, he contended.

In closing the speaker said: "A capital crime is capital punishment."

Father Conway, who was the second speaker for the affirmative, stated that capital punishment speaks of barbarism. Christ came and preached a new doctrine, a new conception of life.

Applying the principle taught by the Master, the speaker said that capital punishment did not carry with it an opportunity to reform.

Continuing, Father Conway stated that the majority of criminals are not in a normal state of mind and should be treated as abnormal. He further stated that where capital punishment is applied that many citizens get a distorted sense of justice.

In conclusion and summing up, Father Conway contended that capital punishment is not the deterrent to crime that some would lead to believe and he held that many other methods of punishment could be employed. J. H. Sissons, who was the last speaker, in supporting the negative and answering the charges that there was always a chance of error, stated that the opposition had largely quoted from the United States. He then explained the careful methods followed in the Canadian courts, which reduced to the minimum the chances of error.

Criminals, said Mr. Sissons, are put away primarily for the protection of society and to prevent them doing the same thing again. He contended that if a man was simply confined that there was a possibility that he might escape and do the same thing again.

The speaker then read over a list of countries which had returned to capital punishment for the reason that murder was on the increase. He pointed out that the enforcement of

capital punishment had rid the Crow's Nest Pass of criminals.

The judges gave the decision in favor of the negative.

The chairman expressed the hope that more such debates would be held.

LOCAL and GENERAL

O. L. Tetter and Alex Laughland of Peoria motored to Grande Prairie on Sunday, returning home Monday evening. They reported the road the best for motoring it has been for years.

Ed. Harrington of Wanham was a business visitor in Grande Prairie over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Connell of Rio Grande were among the visitors from the west in Grande Prairie on Monday.

The following from Beaver Lodge were visitors in Grande Prairie at the beginning of the week: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Houz, Mrs. Von Volkensburg and son, Clark.

Mrs. R. J. Barley left for Edmonton on Tuesday night's train to join her husband. After spending a few days at the Capital City they will go to the Coast, where they will remain for the winter.

Chas. Parrish of the Besancon district was a visitor in Grande Prairie on Tuesday.

The following from East of the Smoky were visitors in Grande Prairie on Tuesday: A. J. McLaughlin, Mrs. L. Snowy, and Pat McCann.

**MURRAY RESIGNS
DIRECTORSHIPS IN
GRAIN COMPANIES**

Wheat Board Head is Granted Leave
Of Absence From Alberta
Pacific Grain

Following a meeting of directors of The Alberta Pacific Grain Company Limited, held in Winnipeg December 11, it was announced that J. R. Murray, general manager of the company, had been granted leave of absence from the company in order to enable him to devote his entire time to his duties as chairman of the Canadian Wheat Board.

Mr. Murray subsequently announced that he had severed his connection with various other grain companies and companies having any dealing in cereals.

MET "TAX RESISTANCE"

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—Efforts of motor car manufacturers to reduce costs and selling prices have been met at every turn by "tax resistance," a brief from General Motors of Canada presented before the Tariff Board today stated.

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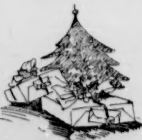
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MRS. McPHERSON'S PETITION REJECTED BY PRIVY COUNCIL

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Attempt on behalf of Mrs. Cora Lillian McPherson of Edmonton to set aside the divorce granted O. L. McPherson, former Minister of Public Works in the Alberta government, was rejected today by the judicial committee of the Privy Council.



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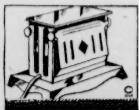
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Large Turnout Beaver Lodge B. T. Banquet

Evening Voted Highly Successful in Every Way—G. K. Slaney President

BEAVER LODGE, Dec. 20.—Seventy-five attended the annual banquet of the Beaver Lodge, Board of Trade, held in the new Beaver Lodge Hotel on Thursday night, December 20.

The host, Jack Oliver, who runs this popular hostelry on the principle that there is nothing too good for his guests was to it that not serving and accommodation was of the de luxe variety.

W. D. Althoff, president, who was the toastmaster, delivered the principal address of the evening, outlining the various activities of the Board during the year.

The toast to Beaver Lodge was proposed by Mrs. George A. Slaney and responded to by Mr. King, principal of the High School and School Inspector Walker.

Mr. Leake proposed the toast to the ladies and Mrs. H. E. Little (Miss) replied.

The following musical program was rendered during the evening: Solo solo, Mrs. Anderson; vocal duet, the Messrs. McDonald; violin solo, Joe Barrett; Music, Mr. Allen; accompaniment, the artists on the piano.

Following the banquet the following officers were elected: G. K. Slaney, president; M. Adams, vice-president; H. W. Hume, secretary.

The evening was voted one of the most successful ever held in Beaver Lodge.

Fight Card at Beaver Lodge Was Bang-up Affair

BEAVER LODGE, Dec. 16.—Before a crowd that filled the Victory Hall on Friday night, December 13, the fight card staged by Jack Oliver proved a bang-up affair from beginning to end. Johnny La Mar of his Grande and Henry Watson of Hays appeared in the main event. Mickey McKay who was matched with La Mar failed to appear at the time scheduled.

The first two rounds were very even. Each giving as much as he took, and the bout proceeded to the scheduled six rounds.

In the third La Mar caught Watson on the side of the chin with a hard left hook and the latter went down. Called to respond at the count of ten.

Officer Brown and Mickey Hillman put in the closing minutes of the evening, these being practically nothing to discuss between them. A draw with the unqualified approval of the fans.

It is understood that these two boys are to be matched again in the near future.

Frank O'Connell and Maurice Brown went four rounds, Brown winning the decision.

The fight between Dennis O'Connell and Henry Watson proved interesting, while the two slighter-sized boys, Bobby Chase and Donny Moore, were carded away to a good start in the opening.

Willie Patterson was the third man in the ring.

Carl King was the official announcer.

Howard Pender of Grande Prairie challenged the winner of the main event.

A series followed the bouts which was well attended.

VALHALLA NEWS

VALHALLA, Dec. 12.—The social evening held in the school Friday night was enjoyed by old and young alike. We are all looking forward to the next.

Mr. Jesse Toffenham, Mr. C. Delano, Mr. H. Delano and Mr. E. Swedrick, who returned Saturday from Bear Lake where they had been hunting and fishing during the past week.

Those who attended the skating dance at La Glash Friday last report having had a very good time.

The school board of the school district are sponsoring a dance in the school Friday, Dec. 13th. The proceeds to go towards the Christmas tree fund.

The W. A. met at the home of Mrs. M. O. Fisher, Wednesday, December 11. After the meeting a delightful lunch was served by the hostess.

ODD BUT TRUE

Found one pair of mitts two weeks ago north of the store. Mitts taken care of and mitts shown to the clients are getting colder.

Harriet looking good. We wonder why?

A young lady seen walking north and a young man heading south on Sunday. A roadside somewhere.

According to rumors, Asanda has been long and time ahead of him. Skating has become quite a popular pastime amongst the residents.

Some of the boys and girls in the steps of Mexico, a story, Sunday last.

Rec. W. J. Hays of the Westminster United Church, stated the W. J. Hays and his family, December 13, and held Sunday school service on the miners and their children. Mr. Hays plans to hold regular services here in the near future.

It is learned that Chas and Bill Austin recently appeared at the Mitchell House, where they have been living. They will be welcomed to their old standing ground.

The miners along the Wharfedale with exception, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

The various houses have been taken in the limit to supply the local demand.

GIFT WEEK

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All kinds, shapes, colors
A Real
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Ski Boots \$1.75 up
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Hockey Gloves \$4.00 up
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A FEW TOYS LEFT AND
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Buy now and don't be disappointed.

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Entertaining, Educational and
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For 1936

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The Standard Series

Like nothing you have ever seen before at such low prices—the exclusive and luxurious New Solid Steel Turst Top Bodies by Fisher, Roomy Built-In Trunk, New Perfected Hydraulic Brakes, New Box-Order France, New Roominess and Comfort, and powered with Chevrolet's New Improved Valve-in-Head Engine. "It's coming soon."

Seven Different Body Styles to Choose From

2-PASSENGER COUPE	\$ 940.00
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5-PASSENGER COACH, with Trunk	980.00
5-PASSENGER SPECIAL COACH, with Trunk	994.00
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5-PASSENGER SEDAN, with Trunk	1,072.00
5-PASSENGER SPECIAL SEDAN, with Trunk	1,082.00

Fully equipped delivered in Grande Prairie.

The Master Series For 1936

THE ONLY COMPLETE LOW PRICED CAR

Offers you the famous and proved Knox Action Cliding Ride, New Hydraulic Brakes, Smooth Silent Gear Shifting and Solid Steel Turst Top Bodies. "A Crown of Beauty—a Fortress of Safety." Chevrolet's Fisher Bodies give you solid steel safety above you, all around you, and even in the floor under your feet.

Eight Different Body Styles to Choose From

Priced at from \$1,088.00 to \$1,266.00 at Grande Prairie
COMING SOON—SEE US NOW

WISHING YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND
A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

Thomson-Dalglish Ltd.

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SEE THE Cockshutt Canadian Line for 1936

Three Profitable Volume Builders

"Improved Wonder" Fanning Mill

Use an "Improved Wonder" to get better seed and a better grade with a higher price for your own grain. Built in 24, 32, 40 and 48-inch sizes with a wide range of screens available. Power pulley, hanging attachment or elevator furnished as extras.

Cockshutt Hammer Mills

Dairymen, stock raisers and poultry feeders will find a Cockshutt hammer mill one of the best investments they can make. They are sure to be interested in the savings made possible through the ability of these mills to convert all kinds of grain and roughage into palatable feed that brings in maximum returns either in added weight or increased milk production. Built in 8 and 12-inch sizes and equipped with blower and bagger when desired at an extra cost.

Cockshutt Grinders

Cockshutt plate-type grinders are supplied in 8, 10 and 12-inch sizes, in both roller bearing and plain bearing types, with a bagging attachment available as an extra. Large capacity and extra-hard, long-life plates are features that make these machines very popular with users who prefer the plate-type grinder.

We wish one and all a
VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

COCKSHUTT

PLOW COMPANY LIMITED

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Foss Block

Grande Prairie



From Your Home Town LUMBERMEN

A Lumberman's a "foks" guy
Who buys things low, and sells 'em high
At least, that's what folks like to think
When speakin' of these lumber dinks
But after meetin' quite a few
Among the lumberjacks, who's who
I've had to change my mind a bit
My old opinions didn't fit
The facts about these lumber folks
Convinced 'em we hear the joke
What is a lumberman—and why?
I couldn't tell you, if I'd try
He's not like other folks you know
His nature's well, he's just no-no
He's like to be a noble man,
Perhaps he does the best he can
He's like to give his hands away
And say, "All right," when you don't pay
But when folks see family chores
Are just about the same as yours
His wife and kids must have some beans
And eggflowers, and other greens
His dentist don't pull teeth for fun,
His doctor don't make one free run
He won't be to work and rage
When chasing down the sawlogs
Who had his hands and things away
And then forget to come and pay
A Lumberman's a funny bird
At least that's what I've often heard
He sits up early, stays up late
To make his business prelate

When if he saves a little dough,
Some say, "He's a foks" guy
It's a dirty, dirty, dirty way that creaks
Has caught the public on his heels,
But if, instead, he ends up broke,
Folks just consider that a joke
And smile and wink and maybe say,
"I know he's a foks" guy
But, risk or none, there's one reward
That's sure to come, for thank the Lord,
In every house is folks around
He's doing something that is bound
To bring them more substantial joy
Than if they'd bought some useless toy
And when he's finished all his chores,
And sold his final two-by-four,
He'll need no furniture high and grand
To keep his memory in the land
The sweetest home he's caused to rise
Will be somebody's Paradise
I'll tell you, folks, we're all alike,
Just Bill and John, and Joe and Ike
We always think the other guy
Has got a clunk, and wonder why;
But when we check, and double check,
And learn the inside dope, by heck,
We come to love each other more
Than we have ever done before
Because we know each one that's here
Is a foks" guy, and that's the word
And if he hears it as he should,
He sure no does a lot of good

Wishing You A Merry Christmas and
A Happy and Prosperous New Year

Frontier Lumber Co.

Phone 32

LIMITED

Grande Prairie

This Christmas Finds Grande Prairie in good Sound Position

Town Fathers and Citizens
Co-operate and Success-
fully Weather the Gale
of the Depression

Notwithstanding the depressing times, Grande Prairie will enter the year 1936 in a sound financial condition. Not only this, but this position has been made possible with a slightly reduced mill rate and a reduction in assessment on improvements.

Tax collections up to date have been quite satisfactory and it is expected that the town will be able to maintain the end of the financial year. It will have a strong bearing on the setting of the 1936 mill rate.

During the year coming to a close a works program was started, not which resulted in giving employment and the laying of a considerable amount of sidewalks and street paving.

A drainage program, principally carried out in the north-western section of the town, was another piece of constructive work accomplished during the year.

The provision for free skating for the youth of the town, recently made, came as a real Christmas present and the boys and girls are showing their appreciation of the council's action by turning out in large numbers at it.

The development of the town park by planting trees and building a permanent outdoor track in connection with the school is another achievement of the year.

While relief and social services have increased, as was to be expected, these costs have been held to a minimum by the town furnishing work.

Considerable more building was registered during the year as against 1934. In the program were several fine homes.

Another encouraging sign of the steady progress which the town is making is the fact that the population has increased since the previous year. A check-up reveals the fact that there are practically no houses to rent in town.

The health of the town has been exceptionally good, there being no epidemics.

Another thing to be thankful for is the fact that there were very few fires.

The town has met all its obligations promptly, and the various services, including the schools, have been kept up to a standard.

Coming to the town's sound financial position it is thought to now proceed with a works program.

The question of installing a water and sewerage system was revived at a recent meeting of the town fathers. It was pointed out that if cheap money could be obtained, covering a long term, that it should be possible in the near future to proceed with the project.

So far as the financial condition of Grande Prairie is concerned, the citizens have every reason to spend a merry Christmas.

The following are the men who have successfully guided the town through the trying year to its present satisfactory position: Mayor P. J. Tooley, Councillors J. L. C. Porteous, Alex. Wishart, N. Swallow, J. Charters, G. W. Simpson, and O. E. Harris.

Activities of G. P. Board of Trade During 1935

The activities of the Grande Prairie Board of Trade during 1935 covered a wide range and some real results were registered.

One of the principal achievements of the Board was the establishment of a flour mill in Grande Prairie. On the premises which were an eyesore for years now stands a trim, modern 50-harrel mill which, it is expected, will be in operation the first of the year.

The Jubilee Celebration, sponsored by the Board, proved most successful and \$100 was paid over to the cancer fund. Fifty-two dollars were paid to the Grande Prairie Band and medals distributed to every child attending public school.

The Board took up the matter of seed grain shipments with the Dominion Seed Branch, resulting in two seed inspectors being retained in the district to inspect seed before shipment.

A acceptance was another item sponsored by the Board. This netted a tidy sum.

During the railway tie-up due to floods, the Board of Trade took up the mill problem with postal and railway officials. This effort resulted in the mail being brought in by plane.

Always taking a deep interest in the Associated Board of Trade, the president and secretary attended a meeting of that body held at Peace River.

Through the efforts of the Board a photograph was induced to locate in Grande Prairie.

Secretary Tooley made a trip by plane to Edmonton and interviewed the government and railway officials in regard to roads, ferries, mail, etc.

Ever alert to the value of agriculture, the Board sponsored a meeting which was addressed by Prof. King on wire-worm control.

During the year the Board was addressed by Mr. Justice Ewing, His Honor Judge Barry, and Major Acton of the Salvation Army.

The following are the officers of the Grande Prairie Board of Trade and Chamber of Commerce: President, T. W. Lawlor; Vice-president, J. M. Tooley; Secretary-treasurer, J. M. Tooley; Executive, J. E. Thomson, Hector Morrison, Ed Culver, Jack Harris, Dr. Nelson, C. H. McKay, and Frank Rothwell.

SUPER VALUES FOR Gift Week



FOR THE KIDDIES
Sleighs, per pair, \$1.25 up
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TOYS
Mickey Mouse Toy Set, \$1.25 up
Mickey Mouse Baby Stroller, \$1.25 up
Strong Steel that endures
AUTOS - PLANES - TRUCKS
DUMP CARTS
2 1/2 and up
Auto Racing Model, with
Electric Headlights, \$1.25 up
Countless Other Items for the
Kiddies
Flashlights, \$1.25 up

CHINA and GLASSWARE

Beautiful Tumblers, Sherbets,
etc., in cut glass designs

SHEFFIELD CARVERS
Quality sets in stainless steel.
Specially priced, \$2.00 and up
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Low Prices**
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For the Christmas Holidays
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**HAVE GOOD RADIO RECEPTION
FOR CHRISTMAS**

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Will give unsurpassed enjoyment—
equip the old set with a
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GIFT NOTECARDS, with suitable greetings, \$1.00
VENETIAN PANEL MIRRORS, \$1.19
NOVELTY ELECTRIC LAMPS, with decorated silk shades, in several styles, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$3.50

KODAKS—ALBUMS, DIARY BOOKS
PEN AND PENCIL SETS
CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES, a complete line in silver, brass, etc., \$1.25 to \$1.75

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ASSORTED HARD CANDIES, per pound, 25c
CHOCOLATES IN BULK, 25c, 75c, \$1.00 and up
Beautifully boxed
MILK STAR CHOCOLATES, 5-pound box, 50c

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Cosmetics and Toiletries in attractive
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In aluminum with contrasting trimmings,
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From \$1.25 to \$2.50

For Him

SHAVE SETS, \$1.25 to \$2.50
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DOLLS - TRUCKS - RACE CARS - TOYS - DOLLS From 10c to \$1.35

May our homes this Christmastide be filled with the
real spirit of Christmas, and may you and your family
enjoy every blessing of this season. *****

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